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An Open Letter to All Good Citizens of Montgomery County, Ky.

We are making an earnest effort to stop the buying and selling of votes in all elections. This practice is productive of much that is evil, and of nothing that is good, and all good citizens are called upon to do their utmost to put a stop to such infamous work.

All candidates are called upon to sign the pledge sent to them. Will you not join together in requesting the candidates to sign this? Will you not withhold your support from all candidates who decline to sign said pledge, even should you be forced not to vote at all for some officers?

This is a day of moral reform; other counties are leading in this much needed work, and we cannot afford to lag behind. The writer takes up this work not because he is more interested in it, or desirous to see it accomplished, but because no one else is doing so.

All good citizens are asked, if the pledge is signed or not, to be watchful, and see that any one buying or attempting to buy votes are prosecuted to the fullest extent for such criminal acts. The good citizens of the county can stop these things if they will.

It is time that they should be stopped, and you are called upon to see that they are stopped.

Be strong, and quit yourselves like men.

Sincerely yours,
B. C. HORTON.

City Primary Held in Winchester.

In the primary held in Winchester Monday, at which the city officers were chosen by the open ballot Mr. D. T. Matlack was chosen as the democratic nominee for Mayor. Mr. Matlack lived in Mt. Sterling many years ago and has many friends here who will be glad to learn of his good fortune. The nomination is equivalent to election as the city is largely democratic. The other successful candidates were: Scobee for Judge, McCord for Chief of Police, Strother for Tax Collector, Tracy for City Clerk, and Hampton for City Attorney.

Called to Bedside of Sick Child.

Judge H. Clay McKee received a telegram Monday, advising him that his little son Duncan was seriously ill at Columbia, Mo., where he was visiting with his mother. Judge McKee left Monday afternoon. It is hoped by the Judge's many friends that his son's illness is not as serious as was reported.

Strawberries fresh every day at Vanarsdell's.

ASPHALT STREET

At Special Meeting of City Council Friday Night

Residents of Street Make Request for Same

At a special meeting of the City Council held Friday night at the Council chamber, at the request of a large number of residents residing on Maysville street, the Council ordered same improved by re-constructing same with asphalt.

A committee of the citizens residing on the street consisting of Judge Lewis Apperson, Dr. J. A. Vansant and Mr. Pierce Winn were appointed to have charge of the construction of the street etc. It is understood that work will be started shortly and rushed to completion as soon as possible. The improving of this street will add much to the beauty of our city.

Mrs. Mayme Hart McClain and Mr. John Harper Married.

The many friends of Mrs. Mayme Hart McClain and Mr. John Harper, were surprised to learn of their marriage Sunday. Mrs. McClain is a most estimable lady with many friends and the news of her marriage will be heard with interest. Mr. Harper is one of the most popular gentlemen in Mt. Sterling, being possessed with a wholesome, genial disposition, who numbers his friends by his acquaintances. The Advocate joins their friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity.

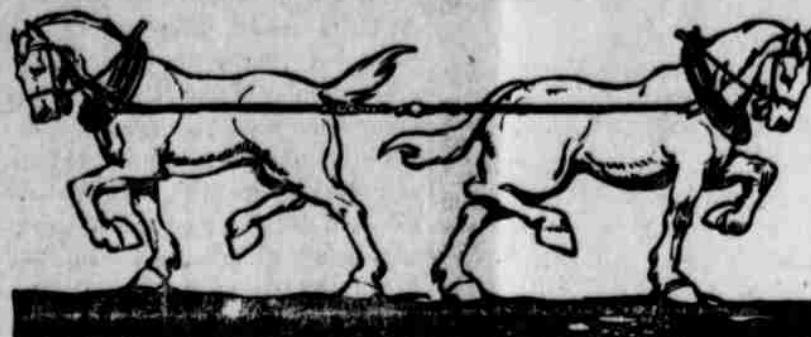
Rev Earl Wilfley to Lecture Here.

Rev. Earl Wilfley, of Washington, D. C., will be in Mt. Sterling in September for a series of free lectures under the auspices of Hazelrigg Bible Class. Rev. Wilfley is well remembered here as one of the most interesting talkers at the W. C. T. U. Convention and is sure to be greeted with a full house at every meeting. A program of his lectures will be published in this paper at a later date.

Accepts Position.

Miss Anna Mary Triplett has accepted a position with J. D. Hazelrigg & Son for the summer months while Miss Louise Morris is taking her vacation.

What Team Work Will Do



These horses don't get anywhere because they are PULLING AGAINST EACH OTHER.

Hitched together as a team they could pull a load bigger than themselves.

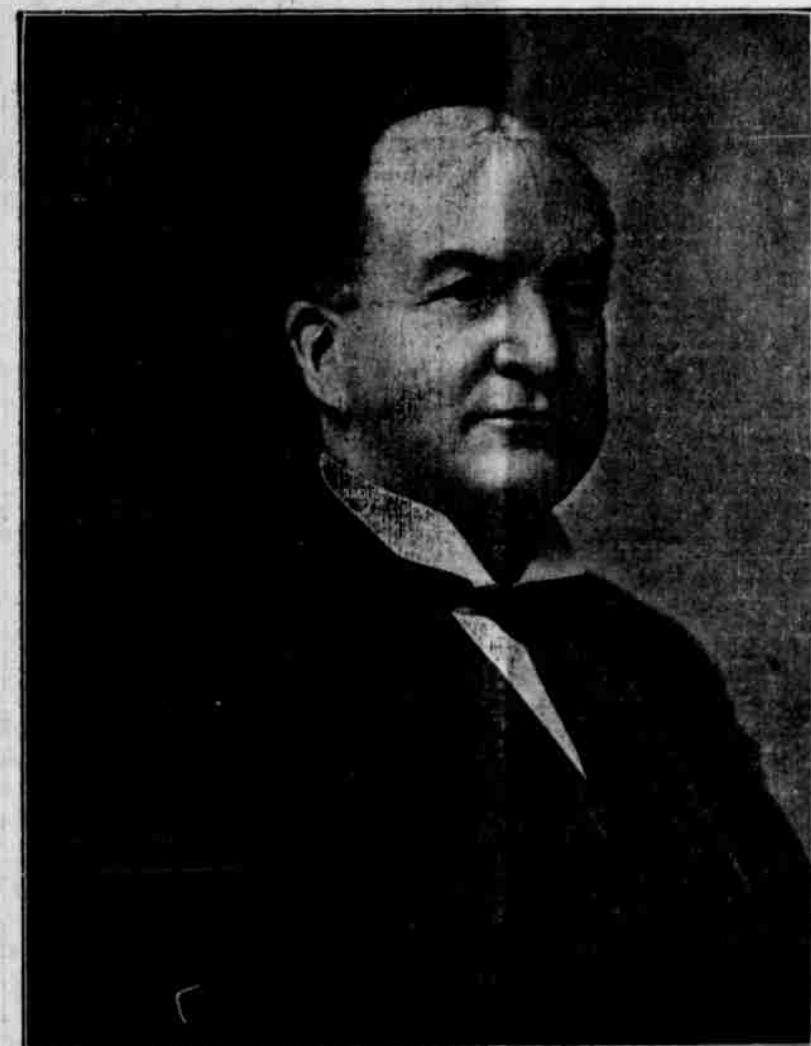
It is the same way with men. Pulling against each other they get nowhere. Pulling together they accomplish wonders. The only way to make a town advance is BY TEAM WORK. The last census shows that many American cities and villages advanced marvelously, others almost stood still, while others actually went backward. It is a 16 to 1 bet that in the growing towns you will find a UNITED CIVIC SPIRIT. They support a board of trade, a commercial club or some other form of organized boosting.

It is just as certain that in the towns standing still or going backward will be found factionalism and bickering—the citizens pulling in different directions.

Even horse sense ought to teach men the advantage of pulling together.

TEAM WORK—that's the secret of TOWN BOOMING—team work!

ENTERS RACE FOR U. S. SENATE.



GOVERNOR JAMES B. MCCREARY

As predicted by many newspapers all over the State, Governor James B. McCreary has entered the race for United States Senator. In a lengthy card issued Monday night the Governor gives his reasons for entering the race. He says if given the nomination he believes he can win, and points to his record in the past as an official. Former Governor J. C. W. Beckham, former Congressman D. H. Smith and Congressman A. O. Stanley are also announced candidates, with one or two others mentioned as probable starters. The primary will not occur until August, 1914.

Mr. Robert Fletcher Passed to the Great Beyond.

Mr. Robert Fletcher, aged 67 years, who has been quite sick for several weeks, died last Thursday of paralysis. Mr. Fletcher was a former Union soldier and a popular gentleman with many friends. He is survived by his wife and two children, Mrs. J. J. Diel, of Louisville, and Mr. Frank Fletcher, of Clifton Forge, Va., who have the sympathy of many friends in their loss. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. D. Clark, Saturday morning with burial in Macphelah Cemetery.

Fresh Honey for sale at W. A. Sutton and Son's Store.

Dance at Olympia.

The management of Olympian Springs have announced a dance for Thursday night of this week. The Kentucky Press Association is in session there and a large number of other guests are expected to be present on this occasion. The first dance of the season was held Monday night and Tuesday night was the scene of a beautiful cotillion.

Accepts Position.

Mr. Roger Stephens has accepted the position as "Devil" at this office.

Home-grown fancy berries at Greenwade's.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Of Kentucky Conference is in Session in This City.

Over 100 Delegates Here From All Over the State.

The Second Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Kentucky Conference is in session at the Methodist Church in this city. The meeting convened Monday evening with devotional exercises led by Mrs. J. E. Grubbs followed by an able address by Rev. B. C. Horton, after which the Lord's Supper was observed.

Tuesday morning devotional exercises were again led by Mrs. J. E. Grubbs, after which organization, message of the president, reading of the minutes and appointment of the committees took place. The report of the First Vice President and Institute on Children's Work by Miss Ada Lewis was followed by the report of the Second Vice President and Institute on Young People's Work by Miss Kate Campbell. At 11 o'clock "Review of Missionary Literature" was the subject of a talk by Mrs. H. R. Steele, who was followed by Dr. George H. Detwiler with a talk on "Bible Study."

Tuesday afternoon and evening the following program was carried out: 2:00 o'clock, Devotional Exercises, Mrs. W. S. Conway; 2:15, report of Third Vice President and Institute on Christian Stewardship and Mission Study, Mrs. H. H. Lowry; Mission Study Class Demonstration, Mt. Sterling Young People; 3:00 o'clock, report of Fourth Vice President and Institute on Social Service, Mrs. J. H. Sistrunk; 3:30 o'clock, The Scarrill Bible and Training School, Miss Allene Pearce; 3:50 o'clock, Mexico, Miss Sue Ford; Memorials; Announcements; Meeting of Committees; 8:00 o'clock, Devotional Service, Miss Julia Durham; Greetings to Kentucky Conference Young People, Mrs. H. R. Steele; Response, Young People and Missions, Miss Kate Campbell; An Appeal for Life Investment, Mrs. J. H. Spilman.

The program for the rest of the week is as follows:

Wednesday morning; 9:00, Devotional Service, Miss Ella Hampton; Roll Call, Minutes of previous day; 9:20, Report of Corresponding Secretary, Foreign Department, Miss Julia Durham; 9:40, Report of Corresponding Secretary, Home Department, Mrs. J. H. Spilman; 10:00 Hour with District Secretaries; 10:45 Echoes from Council Meeting. Memorials, Announcements; 11:20, Bible Study, Theme: "Love, the Measure of our Sacrifice," Dr. George H. Detwiler.

Afternoon: 2:00, Devotional

service, Mrs. J. H. Sistrunk; 2:15, Report of Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Garnett. Mass Meeting for Children; 4:00, Committee Meetings.

Evening; 8:00, Devotional Service, Mrs. W. H. Garnett. Address, "The Local Church, the Unit in a World-wide Gospel Propaganda," Dr. George H. Detwiler.

Thursday morning; 9:00, Memorial Service, Mrs. W. E. Arnold; 9:30, Minutes of previous day; 9:40, Report of Superintendent of Supplies, Miss Kate Petry. Call for boxes; 10:00, Report of Press Superintendent, Mrs. A. B. Massey. Report of Editor Central Methodist Advocate; 10:15, Pledge by District Secretaries. Pledge for Council; 10:30, Specials for both Departments. Discussion of Funds, Miss Julia Durham; 11:00, Japan, Mrs. T. W. B. Demaree; 11:20, Bible Study, Theme: Incarnation, the principle of adaption," Dr. George H. Detwiler.

Afternoon; 2:00, Devotional Service, Mrs. F. A. Cosgrove; Committee Reports; Invitation for next meeting; Election of officers; Resolutions; Minutes; Praise meeting; Adjournment.

Evening; 8:00, Devotional Service, Mrs. J. H. Spilman. Address, "Social Service, the Principle of Articulation," Dr. George H. Detwiler.

Fatal Automobile Accident.

While racing with an interurban car between Paris and Lexington Thursday afternoon the automobile occupied by Messrs. W. L. Evans, Nelson McLoney, Roger S. Sharp and T. S. Robinson, all of Bath county turned turtle into a ditch throwing all the occupants out. Mr. McLoney, who lives in Sharpsburg, was the most seriously injured and was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington where he died Monday night. The other occupants were injured, but not dangerously. Mr. Robertson is a brother of Mr. Allie Robertson, of this city and was more fortunate than the others, escaping with a few bruises. Mr. Sharp sustained a fractured shoulder and wrist and Mr. Evans, who was pinned under the car, had his left shoulder dislocated.

The men had been in Lexington and were on their way to Sharpsburg when the accident occurred.

Good Roads Public Meeting.

The citizens living on the Paris pike are requested to meet with the Good Roads Committee at Side View Thursday evening at three o'clock to discuss the improving of the said pike. The committee is very anxious that there be a good attendance and urge everybody interested in good roads to attend the meeting.

Anniversary Edition.

The anniversary edition of the Fulton Daily Leader issued last week was handsomely illustrated, well edited, and a great credit to its editor, Col. Mott Ayres.

The Tobacco Season Has Scarcely Started and There Have Been Two Hail Storms Already

What would such a hail as we had Thursday and Sunday do to YOUR tobacco crop in a week or so, after it had gotten started?

Can you afford to take the chance of losing it all, especially when the cost is so small?

Drop in and let us quote you rates, the insurance to be placed in one of the LARGEST companies in the world—The HOME INSURANCE CO. OF N. Y.—Assets over \$30,000,000.00.

THE OLD RELIABLE AGENCY—
HOFFMAN'S INSURANCE AGENCY
MT. STERLING, KY.

For the Bride...

In our new location, on Broadway, you will find an elegant line of

CUT GLASS

the beautiful Washington patterns, and other new designs in Sterling Silver. Let us assist you in making your selections.

John Robinson Jeweler and Optician